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SUBJECT: SPACE AGREEMENT: SATELLITE METEOROLOGY (04.02.00)

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1. PLEASE PASS THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE FROM DR. DAVID JOHN-
SON, US CO-CHAIRMAN US/USSR WORKING GROUP ON SATELLITE
METEOROLOGY, TO HIS SOVIET COUNTERPART, DR. L.A. ALEKSANDROV
WITH A COPY TO INTERCOSMOS.

2. FEBRUARY 4, 1977

DR. L.A. ALEKSANDROV
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HYDROMETEOROLOGICAL SERVICE OF THE USSR
12, PAVLIK MOROZOV STREET
MOSCOW, D-376, USSR

DEAR DR. ALEKSANDROV:

THANK YOU FOR YOUR JANUARY 19 TELEX REGARDING THE MODIFICA-

TIONS WE SUGGESTED TO THE SATELLITE SECTION OF OUR NOVEMBER 1976 SUMMARY OF RESULTS.

2. WITH REGARD TO PARAGRAPH 3.2 IN ATTACHMENT 3, WE AGREE THAT AN EARLY DATE FOR THE CONDUCT OF CONTROL MEASUREMENTS UNDER ESSENTIALLY IDENTICAL CONDITIONS IS DESIRABLE. HOWEVER, THE ACTUAL MEASUREMENTS TO BE CARRIED OUT UNDER ITEM 3.2 ARE SPECIFIED IN APPENDIX 3, ITEM III WHERE THE COMPLETION DATE IS GIVEN AS JULY 1978. THIS DATE CONFLICTS WITH THE DECEMBER 1977 DATE LISTED IN PARAGRAPH 3.2. THE JULY 1978 DATE WAS DETERMINED FROM LABORATORY SCHEDULES AND SHOULD BE THE CONTROLLING DATE. THEREFORE, WE PREFER TO CHANGE THE COMPLETION DATE FROM DECEMBER 1977 TO OCTOBER 1978 IN ORDER TO ALLOW TIME FOR THE PROCESSING OF THE JULY DATA.

3. SINCE YOU INDICATED IN YOUR TELEX THAT YOU WOULD HAVE NO OBJECTION TO CHANGING THIS DATE WE CONSIDER THAT WE ARE IN AGREEMENT ON THIS POINT.

4. SINCE WE ARE IN AGREEMENT REGARDING THE MODIFICATIONS TO THE SATELLITE SECTION OF THE SUMMARY OF RESULTS, AND I UNDERSTAND YOU ARE NEAR AGREEMENT WITH DR. TEPPER REGARDING THE ROCKET SECTION, I AM RECOMMENDING TO NASA THAT THEY PROCESS THE DOCUMENT THROUGH CHANNELS FOR DR. LOVELACE'S APPROVAL IN ACCORDANCE WITH PARAGRAPH 11 IN THE SATELLITE SECTION. WE AWAIT A SIMILAR APPROVAL FROM DR. PETROV ON THE SOVIET SIDE.

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5. FINALLY, I REMIND YOU THAT WE ARE AWAITING DR. STEPANENKO'S COMMENTS ON THE DRAFT SAMEX PLAN AS NOTED IN PARAGRAPH 7 OF THE SATELLITE SECTION.

6. SINCERELY,

MR. DAVID JOHNSON
NATIONAL OCEANIC AND ATMOSPHERIC ADMINISTRATION

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